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Title: BRAKE SHOE ASSEMBLY HAVING A CORROSION  
REDUCING LINING



**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**UNDER 37 CFR 1.97 AND 1.98**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Provided herewith are copies of patents and publications as listed in the attached Form PTO-1449. None of these references discloses the invention claimed in the subject application.

Respectfully submitted,

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